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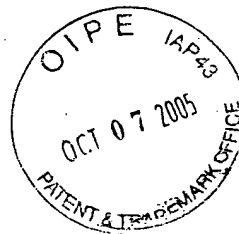
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Group Art Unit: 2682
Examiner: Tran, Tuan A.

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Our check in the amount of **\$0.00** is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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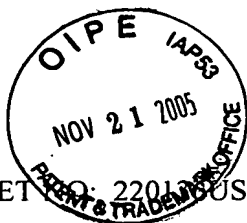
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.181, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to acknowledge as considered reference AZ cited in the PTO-1449 form filed with the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) on May 15, 2002. A copy of the PTO-1449 form is enclosed, along with a copy of the date-stamped filing receipt.

The May 15, 2002 IDS was filed before the Notice of Allowance dated September 2, 2005, in full compliance with the requirements set forth in 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this petition be granted and the IDS be acknowledged.

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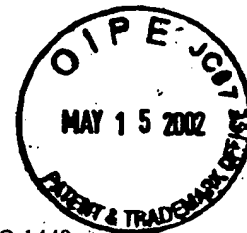
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